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TELEGRAPHIC.

WINNIPEG, Feb. 13.

Ambrose Thomas, the noted musician, is dead.

The Bourgeois ministry, in France, has fallen.

South Australia has issued bonds for \$800,000.

An amnesty has been offered the besieged Armenians.

The preparation of voters' lists will cost \$235,366.97.

A mob at Decatur, Ill., lynched a person charged with murder.

The remedial bill was introduced on Tuesday by Dickey and read a first time.

Seed grain will be transported by the C. P. R. at half rates from March 1st to May 1st.

Cuban insurgents met with severe reverses yesterday. In one case their loss was 150 men.

In the Dominion House Davies moved the adjournment in order to reiterate his denial of Tuquer's statement that \$25,000 had been spent by liberals to corrupt Cape Breton election.

LOCAL.

Train left Calgary on time.

Hockey club ball to-morrow night.

J. L. McNAMARA, of Wetaskiwin, is in town.

A. G. RANDALL has been elected leader of the Fire Brigade band.

J. RIVIER, reader, left for Peace river by way of the Landing to-day.

E. C. DAWSON, of South Edmonton has been gazetted a game guardian for the Territories.

A cold snap set in on Tuesday night with a high wind. The cold weather continued on Wednesday.

MAYOR WILSON left for Ottawa on Tuesday's train as a delegate of the town on the railway question.

H. BOWEN has received the Edmonton agency for the Comet bicycle, the leading Canadian make.

K. S. SAGAR, N. Beaudry to H. S. Young \$39.25, S. Sigler to J. Reipinger \$15.50, W. Ross, Fort Saskatchewan, \$92.

N. D. BEES, Q. C., will preside at the law examinations to be held here commencing on the 17th. Messrs. H. Robertson, J. McNamara and F. deJournal go up for examination.

TOWNSHIP 55, range 19, west of 4th meridian has been erected into a statute labor district. David McGill has been appointed returning officer to hold the first election of overseer.

SPECIAL services will be held in the Methodist church from to-night until further notice. Rev. E. J. Chegwain, B. A., of Lacombe is expected on to-night's train and will preach on Sabbath next and assist in the services.

THE Fraser Dramatic Company will not play to-morrow night but will give a matinee on Saturday afternoon, and the Private Secretary on Saturday night. On Monday night they give Face to Face. The play to-night is East Lynne.

An error in calculation appeared in a late issue of the Bulletin in regard to the amount of live hogs marketed this season.

Instead of 125,000 pounds as stated there has been nearly 300,000 pounds of live hogs sold here since last fall to be made into pork. This means not \$5,000 but \$12,000 cash paid out to the farmers of the district and equals not \$3,000 but \$8,000 bushels of grain at 15c a bushel.

The post office department is making enquiries which lead to the belief that there is in prospect the opening of mail routes to Lesser Slave lake and Chipewyan by way of Athabasca Landing. The establishment of such routes would be of great advantage to traders, missionaries, prospectors and others in those far off regions who now have to depend chiefly on the kindness of the Hudson's Bay Company for their mails, and besides would relieve the Company of a most unjust burden which present circumstances causes them to bear.

THE Fraser dramatic company arrived on Monday's train and played "Rose Garland" the fine evening to a full house. The best proof that an excellent performance was given is that on Tuesday night, although the weather was stormy, the hall was crowded to hear "Queen's evidence."

The plays put on by this company are bright and clean, and the members of the company are all up to their work. Mr. Fraser and Miss Jeffries are particularly good, but every member of the company plays his or her part with credit to themselves and pleasure to the audience. They are deserving a first class patronage wherever they may go.

JOHN CAMERON, JR., who came in from his trading post at Isle la Crosse last week, returned on Wednesday by way of Cold lake. Fur is plentiful at Isle la Crosse this winter and trade is good. The Hudson's Bay Company's post at that place one of the oldest in the country and the centre of an excellent fur trading country. The H. B. Co. bring their goods in from Prince Albert by way of Green lake which is the end of the cart road. The distance is greater from Edmonton, but the route is better in summer, and when the short route from Cold lake to Isle la Crosse is taken in winter the distance is about the same. Potatoes grow well at Isle la Crosse, and fish are excellent and plentiful.

The board of trade had just commenced their business last night when the fire alarm sounded. A rush was made by the dignitaries comprising the board of trade, and it was found that the alarm had come from Sheriff Robertson. The chemical was quickly got to his house where the pipes from a hot stove had set fire to the roof. There was hardly any damage done, as the fire was put out before the house arrived and the engine was not required at all. A large number of the brigade boys were on hand immediately on the sounding of the alarm, and the manner in which they manned the appliances and ran them to the scene of the fire was in every way creditable.

COURT on the 25th.

QUARTERLY meeting of the St. Andrew's society in the council chamber on Friday 14th inst.

CALGARY hockey players arrive to-night. Tournament Friday, Saturday and Monday, five teams taking part.

THE H. B. Co.'s northern packet, which was to have started yesterday for Lac la Biche, has been held until next week.

W. T. HENRY had both eyes blackened in the Thistle-Shamrock hockey game on Tuesday, by being struck by the puck.

THE stores will be closed to-morrow afternoon from three to five o'clock during the hockey match, Calgary vs. Edmonton.

HORSE HILLS post office will be opened in a few days. Jos. Wilson postmaster. The mail goes out from Edmonton every Friday.

LAMOREUX is the name of a new post office to be established on the north side of the river at Fort Saskatchewan. J. Berube, postmaster.

REV. J. B. TAYLOR, Methodist missionary at the Sturgeon, and Chas. Reis, of Spruce Grove, returned from a visit to Ontario on Monday's train.

HUGO CARSTEN, Dominion government relief agent, and Major Griesbach, returned from a visit to the settlements around Innisfail on Monday's train.

TUESDAY'S train took out two cars cattle for G. H. Owen to Calgary and three cars cattle to Calgary for Wilkie & Co.; two cars coal from Oskewan and one way car.

ENTERTAINMENT in honor of the Calgary fire brigade hockey team in the council chamber on Saturday evening, Feb. 15th, under the auspices of the Edmonton fire brigade.

TAXES to the amount of \$10,981.96 on the current year's taxation have been received by the collector. To this amount the discount of \$1,183.73 should be added as the amount taken off the total taxation of \$18,044 for the year.

GLORY HILLS school district, No. 400, on Stony Plain, containing sections 5, 6, 7, 8, 17, 18, 19 and 20 in township 53, range 27; sections 1, 12, 13 and 24 in township 53, range 28, both west of the 4th meridian, and sections 1, 2, 11, 12, 13, 14, 23 and 24 in township 53, range 1, west of the 5th meridian, has been erected. The trustees are Maxime Billeau, John Schlager and Israel Umbach.

RESIDENTS of Edmonton and vicinity—especially old residents—will be pained to hear of the death after a two weeks' illness of Percy, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Henderson, of Rabbit Hill, in the 22nd year of his age. Deceased was a most promising young man well known in Edmonton where his parents resided until about three years ago. The bereaved family have the sympathy of the community in their irreparable loss. The funeral takes place on Saturday afternoon at three o'clock. The service will be conducted by Rev. D. G. McQueen. The interment will take place at Rabbit Hill.

BOARD OF TRADE.

A special meeting of the board of trade was held on Monday night, to consider what arrangements should be made for the annual meeting and banquet, and other matters. The president, J. A. McDougall, in the chair.

The secretary read a letter from Winnipeg inviting Edmonton merchants to send delegates to the immigration convention to be held there on the 27th inst. Considerable discussion took place before delegates were nominated. Mr. Kirkpatrick thought delegates should be nominated on the understanding that they should pay their own fares. The president was not sure whether it would not perhaps be better to learn first what rates the C. P. R. was going to give delegates, and he thought delegates should be able to represent the whole district. Messrs. McDougall, Gallagher and Lines were elected as the delegates, each of those gentlemen having said they would go if half ordinary fare was charged. The secretary was instructed to write the C. P. R. asking for free passes for delegates. The secretary read a portion of the draft report of the council of the board recommending that invitations be sent to agricultural societies to send delegates to the annual meeting of the board of trade, in order that concerted action might be taken for the general good of the district. Mr. Gairdner then read the draft report of the council of the board which is to be presented to the annual meeting. The report was most exhaustive and comprehensive. Considerable discussion took place as to the advisability of bringing to the notice of the Dominion government the desirability of making a good road to Jasper House, so as to enable freighters from Edmonton to get to the Barkerville and Stanley country. The president thought that if the government are going to spend money on relief works such money could not be better expended than by building a road to enable Edmonton merchants to get their products to the Cariboo country. The secretary was instructed to send a telegram to Mayor Wilson asking him to bring the matter prominently to the notice of the Dominion government while he is at Ottawa. Mr. Corrie reported that on instructions received from a previous meeting he had made inquiries as to the feeling in regard to a banquet at the annual meeting and found the idea was received very favorably, as such a banquet was calculated to put new life into the movement of the board of trade for the development of the district. It would also bring together some of the best representative men of the country, and promote unity of action amongst all sections in the desired direction. It was decided on the motion of Mr. Blowsy, seconded by Mr. Gallagher that the board of trade hold a banquet at the annual meeting. Messrs. Blowsy, Edmiston, Gairdner, Cowie and Kinnaird were appointed a committee to make the necessary arrangements for the banquet. It was decided to invite as guests at the banquet, representatives from the agricultural societies and patrons of industry, and president of the creamery company and the press, and that tickets for banquet be one dollar each. Messrs. McDougall, Lines, Cowie and Kirkpatrick were appointed a committee to prepare a toast list.

SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING.

A special meeting of the town council was held on Monday afternoon, Feb. 10th, regarding the sending of a delegate to Ottawa. Present Mayor Wilson, Councilors McCauley, Edmiston, Bellamy, Cowie and Kelly.

A telegram was read from W. T. Jennings and also a letter from P. Heinrick re delegate to Ottawa.

Cowie—Edmiston. That the mayor be requested to proceed to Ottawa as a delegate representing the municipality and that the sum of \$300 be appropriated for delegation expenses. Carried.

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MARKETS.

At the present time the question of a market for the staple grain crop of Edmonton is a serious one, and probably the most serious that the farmers of the district have to face. Oats are the staple crop, and the oat market is so dull as to be practically dead. Buyers' warehouses are full and they have not been able as yet to relieve the pressure by shipments to outside markets owing to the low prices there and the high railway rates between here and there. There is still a large quantity of good oats in farmers' hands, besides another very large quantity of both oats and barley that cannot be classed as merchantable but which is fit for home feed. While it is fortunate that there is plenty of grain in the district, it is unfortunate that farmers are compelled to hold the grain upon which they had calculated to realize fair prices and which would have enabled them to pay off some of their old scores and live without running up so many new ones. It is unfortunate for the farmers and it is even more unfortunate for those who depend upon the farmers' trade for their business prosperity. There are many reasons why oats have come to be the staple crop of the district. The soil and climate are peculiarly suited to their production in large quantities and in great perfection. They are clean and easy to handle, and hitherto since the drop in wheat, have been the farmer's best paying crop, at 20c. to 25c. and even 30c. a bushel. But when the price starts at 17c. and crawls gradually down to 12½c. with lessening demand, the prosperity of the district receives a severe shock. The ready answer to the complaint that oats are unsaleable is "Feed them to stock." But unfortunately the farmer who has the oats may not have the stock, and besides oats are not as good to fatten cattle or hogs on as wheat or barley.

The only hope of an outlet for the oats in store here is either a rise in western prices or a reduction in western and local freight rates. There seems to be no use in arguing that the present rates to Calgary, to Kootenay and the Coast are higher than they ought to be. The railroad company have repeatedly declared that they are abnormally low considered in connection with all the circumstances. Let that pass, and let us take the argument that the railway company is entitled to charge all that the traffic will bear. That is the position that all railroad companies take where they have a monopoly. The farmer must divide his profits with the railway company. If that is the case when there is a profit to divide, is it not fair and reasonable that when the markets are so low that the sale of grain means a loss the rates should still be such, and only such, as the traffic will bear? That is to say that the railway company should consider the low prices of produce and should reduce their rates to such a point as would admit of the grain being taken to market. The case is exactly the same as when there is competition between rival roads for certain business. Either it must be hauled at a low rate or the other road will get it. Unless the Kootenay country is supplied with oats from the Northwest it will be supplied with oats from the state of Washington. Unless the C. P. R. hauls oats into the Kootenay country, the United States roads will. Unless the C. P. R. puts its rates low enough it can't do the business. If Edmonton were a point common to the C. P. R. and the Northern Pacific (especially if in the States) the former company would cut rates so as to get the traffic. Then why not cut to get the traffic in the present case, the only terms upon which it can be got? Surely the reason is not because Edmonton farmers and business men would make something, as well as

the railway company. The C. P. R. have looked with a favoring eye on the rapid settlement of this district in the past few years, and no doubt entertain great hopes of its settlement in the future. They have gone to some pains and expense to promote that settlement and to assist the settlers. But by facilitating an adequate reduction in the rates the export of the not very large surplus of the present year, they would be doing more to settle the country than anything else that they have done; and if they allow the market to remain in its present congested condition much longer they will do the cause of settlement of the district more harm than all their agencies and all their pamphlets can repair in the next ten years. Special rates for special purposes are not unheard of on the C. P. R. and what purpose could be more worthy of special encouragement than the farming industry in the Edmonton district in this year of complete break down in prices of their staple crop?

There is another feature of this question that is worthy of attention. While there is a surplus of oats and barley in the district, there are a great many of the new settlers, particularly to the south, who are short of suitable seed owing to their crop having failed. Petitions have been sent from these settlements asking the government for seed grain and there is a very little doubt that in consideration of the past unfavorable season and the fact that many of the settlers were very poor and only just starting in the country, that the government will—as it certainly should—accede to their request. If this is done a great deal of grain will be required, and while the interests of the people who require seed grain demand that every care should be taken to furnish them only with first class clean seed, the interests of their more fortunate neighbors demand that when they have suitable grain for sale it shall be purchased from them at a fair price or a price equal to the cost of equally good imported grain. While one part of the people need seed grain which they are unable to provide themselves with another part have seed grain which at present they can't sell. That is the peculiar condition of affairs which the government requires to keep in mind as prevailing in Northern Alberta at the present time, and it is to be hoped that they will govern themselves accordingly.

MANITOBA FLOUR IN ENGLAND.

The following is from an English paper: "The direct introduction into British markets of the flour made from the celebrated Manitoba hard wheats will be watched with much interest both in this country and in Canada. For some time past small consignments have, through the agency of the Canadian Pacific Railway company, been forwarded regularly to private individuals who knew of its excellent quality. Now however, the Canadian produce and consignment company, of 18 St. Swinburn Lane London, E.C., has been appointed by the Lake of the Woods milling company to specially bring the flour to the notice of bakers and of the trade generally; and from what T. Reynolds of the produce company, tells us, the flour is likely to meet with a continued and increasing demand. Only the very best quality will be put on the market, and the conditions of the trade will be studied in every way. What that quality is may be judged from the analysis of Professor John Goodfellow, of the Bow and Bromley Institute, who reports that he has 'examined this flour, with a large number of highly-ground grades in the London market, as to color, strength and yield, and in no case did I find it excelled and seldom equalled.'"

Regina Standard: Sir Charles Tupper is well known to be both unscrupulous and tyrannical. This is the secret of the power that he once possessed. It is also the secret of his unpopularity, even within the pale of his party. By reason of his seniority and prominence he should have succeeded Sir John Macdonald. But it was realized that the rank and file would not endure him, and a continuance in the high commissioner-ship to which Sir John had relegated him was the emolument to his wounded vanity. At the death of Sir John Abbott, and again when Sir John Thompson died, no one even proposed that Sir Charles should be called to the leadership. It was only when the party had deteriorated to his level that the chief corruptionist was called in. Let any honest men who may be still clinging to the wreck of a once great and proud party meditate upon these facts.

DOCTORS DIFFER.

Bishop Cameron of Antigonish, whose jurisdiction extends over Cape Breton, N. S. is accused of having issued the following pastoral letter to the priests in Cape Breton county on Manitoba school question. After giving instructions regarding the issuance of the contents the letter proceeds thus: "A great wrong has been done for the last five years to the Catholic minority of Manitoba, a wrong entailing the most serious pecuniary loss on the sufferers as well as jeopardizing the salvation of countless souls; a wrong which, if not now abated may sooner or later be inflicted on the Catholic minority of other provinces in a more or less cruel degree; and yet we meet the appalling spectacle of multitudes of men who are loud in their praise of liberty and justice and religion, arraigned against remedial legislation, the only available means under the constitution of redressing that wrong, and then doing all they can to perpetuate this monster evil subversive of religion, justice and liberty in order to attain their own selfish ends in defiance of God. And to our shame among those hell-inspired hypocrites, Catholics are to be found, no, a few who will vote against justice being done to their sorely oppressed co-religionists, and who, to add insult to injury, will move for a commission of investigation instead of remedial legislation. This commission is pronounced to be the lowest sham by the most competent of living judges on the subject."

Archbishop Walsh of Toronto has issued a statement of his position on the Manitoba school question. He takes this step because letters have been received from the governor-general and Mr. Laurier urging him to use his influence in the interest of peace among all sects. He takes a stand on the question that it is a local issue, which can best be settled by the provinces in its own way. He asserts that Catholics are free to vote on this question, according to their consciences, and urges them and Protestants as well to do everything in their power to allay all feelings of prejudice and turn a deaf ear to these politicians who would create racial strife in this country. The other issues before the country, he says are far more important than the school question and he is desirous that all Catholic voters should realize this.

STILL MORE STARTLING.

The Antigonish Casket, the organ of Bishop Cameron, writes it is authorized to say that no such pastoral letter as that alleged by a dispatch in the Halifax Chronicle of Tuesday to have been issued by Bishop Cameron to the priests of the county of Cape Breton was ever sent. What the Chronicle correspondent called a pastoral letter, the paper adds, was a garbled extract from a private letter, marked as such.

Continuing the Casket says: "The whole story is a malicious fabrication known to be such by its author. Party managers have frequently resorted to such tricks of various kinds on the eve of an election with a view of stamping some class of electors, but in the whole of our history, as far as we can recall it, we know nothing so wicked and wanton as this."

CHURCH TAXATION.

EDITOR BULLETIN.

Dear Sir: Many of your readers would be surprised to see my name figuring in a letter signed "Civis" in your last issue. They would also be at a loss to understand the dark hints as to "parsons," getting out of their places &c., seeing that I have written nothing for your columns to date. For their information then allow me to say that I presumed to criticize in the columns of your contemporary, certain reported utterances of the town council on the question of church taxation, utterances which seemed to me, somewhat unfair to the churches. As to the all conclusive (?) argument of "Civis," I have nothing to say at present. I have made it a rule for years to write nothing for the press without signing my name thereto, particularly when it included anything like a personal criticism, and never to answer a criticism, to which the writer had not the manliness to sign his name. This is on "high moral grounds" which I invite "Civis" to make a note of. I may say, however, departing thus much from my rule, that the town is to be congratulated on having at least one "citizen" who can so clearly define the place and duties of town councils, parsons and lawyers, though it may be a large contract even for "Civis" to keep them all in their place, particularly the parsons. I would further assure your readers I that have published nothing that could possibly be twisted into an insinuation that the town council were "grandmothers" or that they ever indulged in anything so undignified as "sucking eggs," though they did certainly make a serious attempt on the nests of the churches. "Civis" must be held solely responsible for such an elegant, though unfair, analogy.

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CHURCH TAXATION.

[The following communication was handed in for last issue but could not appear owing to lack of space.]

EDITOR BULLSTIN: In your issue of Feb. 6th, Mr. S. S. Taylor speaks for the people of Edmonton on church taxation and tells the town council they have misjudged their duties and underestimated the interests of the town. It may be doubted whether he speaks for the people of Edmonton or even a majority of them.

I assume the position that remission of taxes is in principle a bonus. Point out where under our present system of municipal taxation that it is not so! It is urged that the churches are not revenue producing. So, much other town property is not, yet it is never urged that it should be exempted, rather the reverse. Even property not intended to produce a revenue is regarded as peculiarly eligible for taxation. Except as a poor grant the ability of the owner to pay is not considered in the taxation of real property. Churches ask to be made the sole exception, i.e. they ask for a gift, but not out of the poor fund.

The endowment by the government of the Methodist church as a corporation, with the great block of land in this town, on the remainder of which said corporation pays \$277.00 taxes per annum, was a matter between church and state, open to reflection and apart.

Mr. Taylor tells us that it is the undoubted duty of every municipality as a governing body to do all in its power by financial assistance to further, preserve and foster Christian influences and institutions. He then inserts the thin edge of the wedge, by asking financial assistance for various churches in an amount from \$40 to \$75 in direct proportion to their wealth and inverse ratio to their poverty. He insinuates that the council should have given financial encouragement to the Church of England when they built their new church, and made "a thank-offering to the Roman Catholic church for their noble exertions." He then closes his remarkable letter by hinting at infidelity, vice and the unwisdom of the council.

Christ paid tribute, but his followers in Edmonton, who profess to render unto Caesar the things that are Caesar's, are asking the town for a bonus to the extent of their taxes. On Sunday we are exhorted to uphold the complete separation of church and state, and midweek we are instructed that the connection between the town of Edmonton and the church is so vital that each church should be granted the amount of its taxes. We are told that direction, regulation and supervision by the town should accompany town grants or the expenditure of town money, and then are nonplussed by columns of contrary doctrine. Are we led by blind guides? Not but true principles are always true.

I object to one dollar of municipal funds being granted to any institution without the town council having a voice in the control of that institution. When the choice of pastor, or priest, the size of building, hours of service, doctrines, etc., are supervised by the town council, the churches will then be town institutions and entitled to a town grant. This principle applies to churches, hospitals and lot of July sports. If a mill asks exemption from taxation let it be subject to conditions restrictions and inspection. I do hope that the churches which are spiritual agencies under a Master whose Kingdom is not of this world, will never lower themselves by asking a direct or indirect town bonus. Let them be spiritually free, but as to burdens or duties let them rank as other corporations.

The request made is unfair. As a non-Christian I will object to paying extra tax that churches may be exempt. As a Presbyterian, Baptist or Jew I protest against being thus forced to contribute to the Methodist or Catholic churches, or to have my municipal taxes pooled among my own and other churches. While I am invited to hear sermons in these churches from the text, "The Lord loveth a cheerful giver," as a member of any of these denominations I should feel I was degrading the cause of Christ by obtaining funds in such a way.

C. M. WOODWORTH.

POPULAR LAKE AND TURNIP LAKE.

The last Northwest Gazette contains the following, under date of Jan. 16th: Under the provisions of the school ordinance it has this day been resolved: That the following lands, that is to say, the south half of section 4 and the east half of section 5 in township 54, range 24, west of the fourth meridian, are hereby withdrawn from the Poplar Lake public school district, No. 185, of the Northwest Territories, and that from and after the date hereof the said

district shall be composed of the following tract of land, that is to say, sections 1, 2, 3, the north half of 4, the east half of 8, sections 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, the east half of 17, the south-east quarter of section 20, the south halves of sections 21, 22 and 23, sections 24 and 25; all in township 54, range 24, and the west halves of sections 6, 7, 18, 19 and 30, in township 54, range 23; all west of the fourth meridian. Provided that the above mentioned lands, that is to say, the south half of section 4 and the east half of section 5 in township 54, range 24, west of the fourth meridian, now withdrawn from the Poplar Lake public school district, No. 185, of the Northwest Territories, shall be subject to assessment and levy for any existing debentures of the said district in all respects as if the same continued still a part of the Poplar Lake public school district, No. 185, of the Northwest Territories.

Under the provisions of the school ordinance it has this day been resolved: That the following lands, that is to say, the south half of section 4 and section 5 in township 54, range 24, west of the fourth meridian, are hereby added to the Turnip Lake public school district No. 386, of the Northwest Territories, and that from and after the date hereof the said district shall be composed of the following tract of land; that is to say: The south half of section 4 and section 5 in township 54, range 24, sections 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, and the west halves of sections 15, 22, 27 and 33 in township 53, range 24; west of the fourth meridian.

PORT SASKATCHEWAN, ALBERTA.

The crowded house which greeted the first entertainment given by the band (so lately organized by "G" Division N. W. M. P.) last night, must have been as gratifying to the members, as the performance was to the audience. From beginning to end the programme was well carried out.

The following programme was rendered: Selection by the band. Song, "I'm off to Philadelphia." Cornet duet, "Love's Dream." Clark and Burk; encore. Song, "Mickey McCallan." Lamb, Recitation by Miss Peacock; encore. Song, "The day I learned to skate." Dalton. Song, "The Anchor's weight." Rev. D'Easum. Tableau, "The reprieve," by the company. Intermission. Recitation by Rev. D'Easum. Coster song by Braine. Cornet solo, "Killarney." Clark. Song in costume, "Nobody begs the question." Pittman; encore. Song, "Three Jolly Sailor Boys," Creaswell. Song and dance, Burk. Duet, "Upper ten and lower five," Dalton and Clark. Song, "They all love Jack," Harris. The farce, "Fun in a restaurant," concluded the concert. A dance followed in which a large number took part and which was kept up with spirit until an early hour.

The weather was, as is usual when wanted otherwise, wild and stormy, but it was noticed with pleasure that it did not prevent a number of Edmonton and St. Albert's most prominent citizens from being present. Too much praise cannot be given the members of the band for the manner in which it has progressed, and we think that the attention of Commissioner Herchmer and Comptroller White has only to be called to the fact that there is no suitable amusement hall, such as every other N. W. M. P. post has, to have the matter arranged and have "G" Division put on an equal footing, and thus encourage the troop to continue the good work it has, of its own will, begun.

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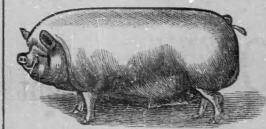
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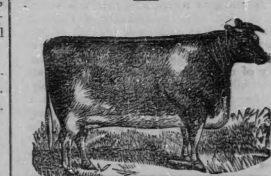
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Jasper—J. D. Griffiths, Sturgeon; C. F. Stewart, Fort Saskatchewan; W. McBride, Calgary; Geo. Thompson, Leduc; D. McRae, C. F. Samis.

CURLING.

The matches in the single hand competition for the A. Macdonald medal so far have resulted as follows:

Ibbotson 13—Emery 4.
Taylor 13—McLeod 12.
Robertson 13—Kinnaird 3.
Looby 13—McNicol 9.
Sners—McQueen, default.
Raymer 13—Ormsby 9.
De Roux 13—Short 3.
McCauley 13—McKenzie 11.

TOWN COUNCIL.

All members present except the mayor. Edmonton—Kell. That Mr. McCauley be acting mayor during the absence of the mayor.

Communications: R. Hockley, re fire brigade; W. Humberstone asking for license for ferry for five years. E. A. Braithwaite, M. D., report of medical health officer. L. Walter asking for license for upper ferry for three years. R. Hockley, members of the fire brigade. G. R. F. Kirkpatrick asking exemption of churches. P. Heimnick & Co., regarding right of way for railway. D. W. Macdonald complaining against bus and being thrown out on McDougall street. K. A. McLeod, Edmonton fire brigade. S. S. Taylor, petition of citizens to exempt church property from taxation. Mr. Taylor was heard by the council on the subject.

The communications from R. Hockley and K. A. McLeod were referred to the fire, water and light committee. The communication from P. Heimnick was acknowledged and filed. The sum of \$2.00 was remitted from the taxes of A. H. Goodwin and Jas. Storey as members of the Edmonton fire brigade.

Bellamy—Edmonton. That a license be granted J. Walter for one year for the running of the upper ferry and to W. Humberstone for one year for the running of the lower ferry and that the necessary by-law be introduced and the necessary documents drawn and executed.

Sutter—Kell. That Dr. Braithwaite be re-appointed medical health officer at a salary of \$240 per year.

Kelly—Sutter. That the petition for remitting the taxes on church property be granted. Negatively by a vote 3 to 3. For the petition, McCauley, Kelly and Sutter. Against, Bellamy, Edmonston and Cowie.

Bellamy—Edmonton. That motion No. 3 of meeting of 28th Jan. on the subject of church taxation, be reconsidered by a full meeting of this council and that petitioners on petition presented at this meeting be requested to procure many more names as possible.

Bellamy—Cowie moved the adoption of the finance committee's report as follows:

C. P. R. Co. telegraph,	\$ 4.10
of works,	50.00
Alex. Taylor, postage acct of clerk,	2.00
Electric Light Co.,	41.85
G. H. Graydon, drugs for relief committee,	6.90
S. Moran, coal,	2.00
Alex. Taylor, postage of assessor,	25.00
J. Milner, coal,	17.05
J. Groves, water and scavenging,	5.00

Bellamy—Cowie moved the adoption of the treasurer's report for December and January.

Sutter—Bellamy moved the adoption of the health and relief committee report.

Bellamy—Kelly. That the board of trade be allowed the use of the hall on the evening of the 12th inst. and the afternoon of the 21st. That the same be granted the town treasurer for the 25th of March and to Fire brigade for the 16th of February and to the St. Andrew's society for the 14th of February.

Sutter—Bellamy. That the market committee report as to the establishment of a market at next meeting of the council.

Edmonston—Kelly. That the following appropriations be made for the fire brigade: One dozen overalls and smocks, \$25.00 Improvements to sleeping rooms, 50.00

The Mail and Empire Ottawa correspondent, discussing the federal legislation bill, gives the following outline from what may be regarded as at least a semi-inspired source: That it will not re-establish the separate schools to which Mr. Greenway took exception, is now accepted as a fact, but it is regarded as equally certain every right which the minority can establish will be returned to it. The feature of the bill which will do much to harmonize those who are anxious to preserve the educational rights of it is province will be clauses retaining to the province the right to nominate a Catholic council of education. If it chooses to retain this leverage over the system it will be able to control it thoroughly. Failing this motion on the part of the province the federal government may nominate a council, so that the maintenance of Catholic schools in Manitoba will depend, if Mr. Greenway refuses responsibility, on power to deal with the case from year to year the duty of nominating the council. The fate of the bill as to parliament cannot safely, at the present stage, be remarked as a certainty. It is evident that conservatives who are opposed to the principle of the measure will discuss and vote upon it regardless altogether of political considerations.

DEATH.

HENDERSON.—At Rabbit Hill on Thursday, Feb. 13th, Percy, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Henderson, aged 22 years.

The funeral will take place on Saturday, Feb. 15th, at two o'clock in the afternoon, at the residence of the parents, Rabbit Hill.

HOCKEY.

The game on Tuesday, 11th inst., between the Shamrocks, of South Edmonton, and Thistles, of Edmonton, resulted in the hardest fought game so far this season. The Thistles had beaten the Shamrocks easily before and decided that as the tournament commences on Friday, when they are playing against Calgary, that they would not rush too hard but keep from any accident until that date; but the vast improvement of the Shamrocks compelled them to play up, and they are aware now that South Edmonton has a hockey team. The score as decided by the umpire stands three Shamrocks, two Thistles. The Thistles claim the last goal which was not allowed and which would have made a tie. They are gathering a lot of evidence to prove that the goal was scored. A meeting of the two clubs will be held to decide it. Handsome pine, are being offered to the winners at the coming matches starting tomorrow and it is the determination of the boys that Calgary must not take them.

METEOROLOGICAL.

The following temperatures are reported from the Dominion government observatory, Edmonton, for the dates given:

	Max.	Min.
Monday, 10,	4	—
Tuesday, 11,	7	— 4
Wednesday, 12,	— 26	— 33
Thursday, 13,	—	— 27

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